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What this country needs is de-
natured automobiles.

Alfonso may visit South America.
Is that a sign the baby is crying
night?

Social maneuvers are sometimes im-
portant in army life as well as mili-
tary tactics.

A Massachusetts man has eloped
with his mother-in-law. Or has been
eloped with by, more probably.

Germany is rapidly catching up.
They have had over 1,500 automobile
accidents over there during the past
six months.

No more infuncheon can stop a free
American from remarking that the
suit against the snuff trust is nothing
to sneeze at.

It was only right that the New York
policeman who is worth only \$500,000
should retire from the force and give
others a chance.

A Massachusetts man started on his
wedding trip without knowing where
he was going to land. That is the
way most men start when they get
married.

Emperor William and his partner
were beaten by two girls in a recent
game of tennis. Doesn't this come
dangerously near putting William in
the mollycoddle class?

The man who has been following
Dr. Wiley's advice about swallowing
his food without chewing is under-
stood now to be taking indigestion
tablets in the same manner.

Announcement that a theatrical
trust has been formed which covers
the principal cities of the world
shows that the combination move-
ment has reached a new stage of de-
velopment.

A New Jersey horticulturist claims
to have produced a strawberry nearly
as large as a potato. He might
have been a little more explicit and
described it as being almost as large
as a lump of coal.

Goat lymph may cure locomotor
ataxia, as the medical department
of the state university hopes it will,
marks the Detroit Free Press, but
there should be a lot of powerful
motor in goat lymph.

We discover the age of a horse, if
we are wise in such things, by look-
ing at his teeth, but who is wise
enough to fix the price of a dental bill
by looking at the patches on the
molars of a fair patient?

Should he enter the race for the
mean man championship of the earth,
the Arkansas undertaker who has a
habit of stealing the shrouds from
corpses that he meets in the line
of business would win easily.

A Tribune correspondent has dis-
covered that housework is the most at-
tractive employment for women, but
that, nevertheless, they shun it. Not
being a woman, the correspondent
should know. A committee of hired
girls might view him carefully and
decide that shoveling sand was a
more congenial occupation than writ-
ing, but that would not drive him to
manual labor.

The first honorary degree of doctor
of medicine which Oxford university
has ever granted has just been con-
ferred upon a man who had looked for-
ward to the practice of medicine in
London. He gave up the idea years
ago to devote his knowledge and his
life to the poor fisherfolk of Labrador.
The recipient of the degree is Dr.
Wilfred T. Grenfell, and the degree
itself is, with peculiar significance in
this case, "honoris causa."

It is almost an axiom that no strike
can succeed which has not public sym-
pathy on its side. The leaders of two
recent strikes in New York must have
forgotten this, for it is hard for the
public to sympathize with men who
let the garbage of a great city rot in
the streets and breed disease, or with
men who prevent the sufferers in the
tenement-houses from getting ice.
The wise leader is the one who first
makes sure that he has a just cause,
and then lets the public know all
about it.

So many thefts and embezzlements
by employees have been committed in
New York banks and other fiduciary
institutions within the past few
months that alarm has been caused
and several of these establishments
have, says the Indianapolis Star, de-
cided to demand that every clerk give
bond whether his duties call for the
handling of cash or not. If he does
not handle funds a bond of \$5,000 is
to be required, and the amount is in-
creased in accordance with the re-
sponsibility.

Mexico is falling into line with the
centennial celebration procession.
President Diaz is arranging to com-
memorate the one hundredth anni-
versary of the beginning of the re-
volt against Spain which led ultimately
to the independence of the repub-
lic. The celebration will begin on
September 15, 1910.

Russia is reported now to be trying
to divert emigration to eastern Si-
beria. There is a popular impression
that she has been doing this for some
time.

A Buffalo paper says the vacation
habit undoubtedly makes America bet-
ter. That may be true on the whole,
but doesn't it encourage otherwise
truthful persons to magnify their
when they come back with a coat of
tan thick enough to hide their
blushes?

Automobiling enriches the blood
and insures sound sleep, according to
the doctors. Not if you have bought
your machine on the excitement plan,
however.

WAIT FOR THE REPORT.



EXAMINE MRS. EDDY

CONFRONTED BY MASTERS, SCI-
ENTIST SHOWS NIMBLE
WIT.

IS QUESTIONED FOR AN HOUR

Counsel Chandler's Sudden Proposition
to Widen Inquiry Goes Over
for Discussion.

Concord, N. H., Confronted in her
own home by three special masters,
one of them a famous scientist,
Mrs. Mary E. G. Eddy, head of the
Christian Science church, for an hour
Wednesday afternoon was subjected to
examination to determine whether she
has capacity to manage her own af-
fairs.

She answered all questions readily,
seemed to be of nimble wit that en-
abled her to transfer her attention
quickly from one question to another,
and was apparently unconcerned about
the outcome of the examination.

Judge Aldrich, Hosea G. Parker and
Dr. George F. Jolly, the masters, ac-
companied by William E. Chandler,
counsel for the plaintiffs; Gen. Frank
S. Streeter, personal counsel for Mrs.
Eddy, and an official stenographer,
made up the party of visitors.

Following the visit to Mrs. Eddy
prepared by the counsel of the "new
friends," a surprise was sprung by the
counsel for the plaintiffs in their en-
deavor to widen the scope of inquiry
so that it would include the propo-
sition that the teaching of Christian Sci-
ence by Mrs. Eddy for a generation
was direct evidence of her general in-
sanity.

This proposition was elucidated by
Counsel Howe, associate of Mr. Chan-
dler, and was more amplified in its
character than the original proposition
submitted by the latter in his opening
Tuesday. The proposition that Mrs.
Eddy was the victim of seven system-
atic delusions, which had been pro-
gressive and which had culminated in
her mental destruction.

Postponed for Argument.
This receding or amplifying from the
original position was hardly welcomed
by General Streeter, and the matter
went over until Thursday for argu-
ment.

Judge Aldrich, acting as spokesman
for the masters, had already ruled that
the hearing was not to be taken as dis-
establishing Christian Science as a reli-
gious corporation, but in regard to this
latter case admitted that the propo-
sition was one that must be settled later
on by the masters. This statement by
the senior master is taken to mean
that Mrs. Eddy must finally submit to
examination by alienists, either Dr.
Jolly, as master, or by a commission.

PRESERVES HUMAN BODIES.

Italian Scientist Claims Discovery of
Wonderful Preparation.

Rome, Italy.—Pignotti, a young
Italian scientist, studying in the labo-
ratory of Professor Grassi, has dis-
covered a chemical preparation where-
by it is possible to maintain human
bodies in a petrified as well as fresh
condition. It is sufficient to give to
a corpse its original fresh condition by
treating it with this preparation and
then submerge it in water. Decom-
position may be effectively stopped
when infection of the new embalming
fluid is made.

Youth Slain as Burglar.
Hotel Fire Cremates Man.

Elmira, O.—George Peyton, bur-
glar at the Hotel Jackson, was cre-
mated in a fire which destroyed a
two-story annex of the hotel.

Hubbard Named for Congress.
Tallapoosa, I. T.—Frank C. Hub-
bard of Muskogee, was nominated
for congress by the republicans of the
third district.

Body Found in Lake.
Warsaw, Ind.—With a fifteen-pound
stone tied about his neck with a
handkerchief, Conrad Nued, aged 35,
of Anderson, was found floating in
Eagle lake at Winona. The body had
the appearance of having been in the
water for some time.

Czar Returns From Swinemunde.
St. Petersburg, Russia.—Emperor
Nicholas reached Peterhof, returning
from his trip on the imperial yacht to
Swinemunde, where he was in confer-
ence with Emperor William of Ger-
many.

Hall Damages Austria Crops.
Vienna.—An enormous amount of
damage has been done to the
grain crops, orchards and vineyards in
many parts of Austria by heavy thun-
derstorms, which frequently were ac-
companied by devastating hailstorms.
Several villages in eastern Bohemia
have been devastated by a cyclone.

New Mexico Secretary Named.
Washington, D. C.—Nathaniel Jaffe,
of Roswell, N. M., was appointed sec-
retary of New Mexico, to succeed Sec-
retary Reynolds, resigned.

DECATUR PRINTERS AT WORK.

Papers to Be Issued After a Week's
Suspension.

Decatur, Ill.—The strike of the
printers in the newspaper offices of
Decatur was settled Monday after-
noon, and for the first time in a week
papers will be issued here. The De-
catur Herald will appear tomorrow
morning and the Review tomorrow
afternoon.

The publishers of the papers and
the proprietors of job printing plants
agreed to stand together when the
strike was inaugurated on Monday,
August 5. But whether, by consent of
the job office proprietors, this agree-
ment was violated, is not known to
the public. Anyway, the strike is still
on in the job printing plants.

The newspaper publishers refuse to
discuss the terms of the settlement,
but it is understood that the printers
want their contents for a minimum
wage scale of \$17 a week, an eight-
hour day, and time and a half for
overtime work.

No Pay, Federal Officer Quits.

Tulsa, I. T.—United States Com-
missioner W. W. Hyams, of the
Fifth commissioner's district in Indian
Territory, has resigned. His successor
has not been named owing to a de-
ficiency in the last congressional ap-
propriation for federal officers in Indian
Territory. Commissioners, constables
and clerks have been serving without
pay since July 1, and the resignation
of one of the officials is expected.

Dead Body Found.

Cairo, Ill.—The dead body of Ed-
ward L. Reno, who was assistant
postmaster at Cairo, was found lying
under a tree outside the Mississippi
levee with a bullet hole in his head.
Reno disappeared last Thursday, and
it was supposed he was away on a
visit. A revolver with one cartridge
empty was found in his right hand.
He had apparently committed suicide.

Big Mills Plant Burned.

Birmingham, Ala.—A fire destroyed
the plant of the Tuscaloosa Mills Co.
at Cottondale, near Tuscaloosa. The
entire plant, except the hosiery mill,
was destroyed. The fire is of unknown
origin. Loss estimated from \$200,000
to \$300,000. About 600 persons were
employed.

Four Drowned While Fishing.

Pond Creek, Okla.—W. H. Pot-
ter, his daughter, Eliza Potter, Wil-
bur Platt, his stepson, and Harris Pot-
ter, his nephew, were drowned in Salt
Pond river while fishing with a seine.
All got entangled in the seine in deep
water.

Will Enforce Rate by Prison.

Montgomery, Ala.—Governor Com-
er declared that all railroads must
follow the compromise of the
Southern or every official, agent or
employee who violates the state laws
will be arrested, regardless of the fed-
eral court injunction.

Mother Eagle Fights Two Men.

Denver, Col.—Dangling over a cliff
in Kowa county, William Fleck had
a desperate fight with a mother
eagle, while one of his brothers, in
hunting him up, also was injured. The
young men secured the young eagles.

Poor Alderman to Wed Millions.

Pittsburg, Pa.—A poor Pittsburg
constableman, George Anderson, of
the Fourth ward, is to marry
Mrs. Anna Eva Pembroke, of Boston,
widow of John Quentin Pembroke,
lumber king of the northeast.

Negro Kills Man With Pick.

Cairo, Ill.—Patrick Dougherty was
killed Monday morning by Wil-
liam Price, a negro, during a quar-
rel. Price drove a pick into the head
of Dougherty. Dougherty was from
Buffalo, N. Y.

Russian Spy Tortured.

Tokio.—Pleading pitifully in the
hands of an enraged mob, a Russian
spy, whose name is said to have been
Maede, met a terrible death here. His
limbs were severed from his body and
his eyes gouged out. He is said to
have been literally torn to pieces.

Girls Strike to Attend Picnic.

Madison, Wis.—Girls in the bind-
ing room of the Northern Elec-
trical company are on strike because
their leader was discharged after the
girls had struck to attend a picnic.

Jailer Made Prisoner, Boys Escape.

Mayfield, Ky.—Nathaniel Coffee
and Fox Fraser, boys who were in jail
here, charged with burglary, while in
the jail yard locked the keeper in jail
and made their escape over the high
wall.

Mother and Daughters Drown.

Durango, Colo.—Mrs. Francisco Mar-
quez and two daughters, both under
12 years of age, were drowned at a
ford in the San Juan river, near Ar-
boles, by the overturning of their
wagon.

SECRET REVEALED

DIRECTOR OF HUNCHAKIST MUR-
DERS TELLS OF CRIMES.

THE RINGLEADERS ARE ARRESTED

Assassins' Arsenal Discovered Hidden
Beneath Coal Heap, Protected
by Boards in Cellar.

New York, N. Y.—District At-
torney Jerome announces that the de-
tective bureau has arrested the ringlead-
ers of the Hunchakist secret society
and obtained confessions from them
which will end the existence of the
organization.

Kassak Isanlian, arrested on Sunday
night, confessed to Mr. Jerome Mon-
day night, the police say, after a gruel-
ing examination which lasted more
than six hours, that it was he who di-
rected the murders of Father Kashor
Vartian, whose body was cut to pieces,
and the wealthy rug merchant Tav-
shannian, killed as he was entering
his office near Union Square.

He further declared, it is said, that
he had stood by while Bedros Hampt-
zoonian waited for the coming of the
victim, and he pointed out the doomed
man.

It is given out by Detective Petro-
sino, who has had the actual investi-
gation in charge, that Father Marton-
gucian, under arrest in connection
with the murders, is not directly con-
nected with the society, though he is
still believed to have known a great
deal of its inner workings.

How Leader Was Caught.

Petrosino recently encountered in
Boston an Armenian named Hanoo-
fian, who offered his services. Hanoo-
fian furnished information enabling
Petrosino to send a wire to this city
that resulted in the arrest of Borhas
Allepoujan.

The police searched the building
where he lived, and in the cellar, under
a coal heap, protected by boards,
they found a number of poisoned dag-
gers, several small bombs, a quantity
of poisoned bullets, revolvers, and a
number of large bottles of hydro-
cyanic acid and sulphate of ammonia,
as well as chemists' scales, bullet
molds and electric apparatus of vari-
ous kinds.

Taken to police headquarters, the
man broke down and confessed. He
confirmed the police say, what they
had already suspected, that Kassak Is-
anlian was the head and front of the
society.

Dan O'Leary Plans Big Walk.

Boston, Mass.—For the benefit of
science, Dan O'Leary, a 63-year-old pe-
destrian who has walked 98,000 miles,
will attempt to walk 1,000 miles,
will attempt to walk 1,000 miles, then
1,000 consecutive hours on a local
track. Physical tests will be made
each day and records kept. Local phy-
sicians declare it impossible for a man
to accomplish the feat, but O'Leary
says he will prove the physicians are
wrong. The start will be made next
week.

St. Patrick Jewels Not Found.

London.—The Irish secretary, Mr.
Birrell, was questioned in the house of
commons regarding the reported re-
covery of the jewels of the Order of
St. Patrick, stolen last month from
the strong room of Dublin castle. He
said they had not been traced or re-
deemed from a pawnbroker, as current-
ly reported.

Dutch Soldiers Massacred.

Amsterdam, Holland.—A massacre
of Dutch soldiers has occurred in
the Dutch East Indies, ac-
cording to a dispatch received today
from Batavia, Java. The message says
48 infantrymen were killed during a
sudden uprising of natives in the Mori
district of the island of Celebes.

Police Not Censors.

Vienna.—The municipal police
have recently elected themselves
censors of works of art. A list of the
pictures proscribed has been sent out
to all dealers in paintings, engravings,
prints and photographs. It includes
Rubens' "Rape of the Daughters of
Leukippos" and Titian's "Danae" and
"Venus."

Neuralgia Tablets Nearly Fatal.

Peru, Ind.—Mrs. E. G. Reed of
Howard county, had a close call
for life from taking two neuralgia
tablets to allay the pain of toothache.
She was seized with heart failure and
a physician's services were required to
restore her.

Troops Hold Strikers Down.

Belfast, Ireland.—The strikers at-
tempted to renew the distur-
bances in the neighborhood of the
docks, but a show of bayonets on the
part of troops who are policing that
part of the city quickly ended the trou-
ble.

Insurance Agent \$9,000 Short.

Middletown, Conn.—The investiga-
tion into the affairs of Frank A. War-
ren, special agent of the New Eng-
land Mutual insurance Co., who dis-
appeared, reveals an alleged shortage
of \$9,000 in his accounts.

Packet Company to Carry Passengers.

Berlin, Germany.—The Hamburg-
American Steam Packet company in-
formed the Associated Press that it
intends to add a passenger service to
its present freight line to Boston,
Mass.

Baby Drowns in Jar.

Norris City, Ill.—The two-year-
old child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Rister,
living south of here, fell into a ten-
gallon jar of water and was drowned.
The accident occurred during the ab-
sence of its parents.

Explosion Kills Three.

New York, N. Y.—Information has
reached this port that it was an ex-
plosion in the hold of the North Ger-
man Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm II.
that caused the death of three men
and prevented the vessel from sailing
on schedule time.

Rob Mail Bag of Gold Dust.

Fairbanks, Alaska.—The robbery of
59 pounds of gold dust, valued at
\$12,000, from a registered mail sac,
between Eagle and Rampau, is re-
ported. There is no clue to the thief.

STRIKE MAY SPREAD.

Switchmen and Yardmen of Colorado
& Southern Road Increase.

Denver, Colo.—The strike of the
switchmen and yardmen on the Colo-
rado & Southern railroad contin-
ues and each day the situation be-
comes more complicated.

Grievance committees for yardmen
on the Denver & Rio Grande and other
roads are in the city, and it is said
they will present demands for an in-
crease of 2 cents per hour.

There has been some talk of Chair-
man Martin A. Knapp of the interstate
commerce commission and Charles P.
Neill, commissioner of labor, coming
to the city to offer their services in
an effort to bring about a settlement,
but nothing definite in regard to this
can be learned.

It is freely predicted that the strike
will spread to other roads in a short
time unless a settlement is effected
soon.

Many large mines have shut down
as a result of the strike and others
are preparing to do likewise if the
strike continues.

CLEVELAND LABOR CONTEST.

Builders Advertise for Men; Unions
Claim There Are Plenty.

Cleveland, Ohio.—The Builders
Exchange and the United Trades
and Labor Council are engaged in a
contest of a peculiar nature.

The builders are advertising for men
to come to Cleveland, and say that all
classes of labor are needed in and
around the city, while the union
openly charges the builders with try-
ing to bring cheap labor to the city.

The leaders of the unions assert
that there is plenty of labor of all
classes in Cleveland seeking employ-
ment, and that the builders need only
to pay the prevailing rate of wages to
secure all the help they want.

It is charged by builders that unions
have retarded the growth of the city
by their tactics, while the union men
say that the builders are responsible
for the backwardness of the city by
trying to make it a cheap city, and so
the contest continues.

Two Italians Executed.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Two Italians were
hanged for the murder of Angelo
Capplina, a storekeeper of Brad-
dock, Pa. The Italians confessed
they had been hired to do the killing
by a Braddock Italian for \$100. He
has disappeared. It is said he was an
alumnus of Capplina's wife.

Prince Killed in Railway Wreck.

Berlin.—A passenger train was de-
railed between Posen and Thom.
Eleven persons were killed and
ten were injured. Among the dead
was Prince Alexander Begoff, two
sons of Count Keyserlingk of Mitau,
Russia, and a Russian captain who
was accompanying them.

Souvenir Post Cards All Captured.

Middletown, N. Y.—Louis C. Bath,
an insane patient who escaped from
the state hospital here on
July 31, has been caught at Dobbs Fer-
ry. Bath's capture is chiefly due to
the fact that he mailed souvenir post
cards to the hospital officials from
various towns.

Abstainance Union Begins Session.

Cleveland, Ohio.—The thirty-sev-
enth annual session of the Catholic
Total Abstainance Union of America
convened here. The opening services
consisted of a solemn pontifical mass,
at the cathedral. This was followed
by the general sessions of the conven-
tion.

Turks to Respect Missions.

Constantinople.—Ambassador Leish-
man has received assurances from the
Turks that American mis-
sionaries at Urmiah, Persia, are in
no danger, so far as the Turks, who
recently crossed the frontier near Ur-
miah, are concerned.

Printers Convened at Hot Springs.

Hot Springs, Ark.—The fifty-third
annual convention of the Inter-
national Typographical Union of
North America convened at the East-
man Hotel at 10 o'clock Monday
morning, with 1,000 delegates and vi-
sitors present.

Virginia Town Burning.

Norfolk, Va.—A dispatch received
here from Princess Anne, Somerset
county, Maryland, says that town is
on fire and threatened with destruc-
tion. The fire was started by in-
dianaries as a result of recent race
troubles.

Torch Causes Fatal Explosion.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Three men were
burned, two it is thought fatally, by
an explosion of a gasoline engine at
Vandegriff, Pa. They were repairing
the engine when the gasoline was ig-
nited by a torch.

Hughes to Visit Battlefields.

Albany, N. Y.—It is announced that
Gov. Hughes will accompany the mon-
ument commission on its visit to the
battlefields of Gettysburg and Chicka-
mauga on Sept. 16.

Edward in Germany.

Berlin.—King Edward of England
arrived at Wilhelmshofe at 9 o'clock
Tuesday morning. He will leave this
evening for Ischl, Austria, where he
will meet Emperor Francis Joseph.

Wheat Growers Want Harvesters.

St. Paul, Minn.—The Great North-
ern Railway Co. announces that the
farmers along its lines are in urgent
need of 10,000 men to harvest the
wheat crop in North Dakota. They
are willing to pay wages averaging \$2
a day.

Celebrate Coronation of Pius X.

Rome, Italy.—The anniversary of
the coronation of Pope Pius X was
celebrated in the Sistine chapel with
deep religious solemnity, great pomp
and magnificence. All the cardinals,
the papal court and the diplomatic
corps accredited to the Vatican were
present.

Dislocated Jaw by Yawn.

Evansville, Ind.—Mrs. Mike Mu-
ratta, residing near here, in getting
out of bed Wednesday morning yawned
and while so doing dislocated her jaw.

REPUBLICS TO FIGHT

WAR IMMINENT BETWEEN CEN-
TRAL AMERICAN REPUBLICS.